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Applicant:

Derek PRATT et al.

Serial Number:

09/891,671

Filed:

June 25, 2001

Group Art Unit:

1614

Examiner:

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Attorney Docket No.:

N-6636

Attorney Customer No.:

23456

For:

Novel Chain-Breaking Antioxidants

# PETITION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

January 31, 2002

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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following:

- Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 to Correct a Filing Date; (1)
- Attachment A: Original Official Filing Receipt; (2)
- Attachment B: Transmittal Letter for Serial No. 09/891,671 (3)

mailed June 25, 2001;

(4) Attachment C: Stamped Express Mail Label showing a "date in" for the instant application as June 25, 2001; and

(5) a self addressed return postcard.

No fee is required for this Petition.

The Commissioner is respectfully requested to correct the Official Filing Receipt as more specifically set forth in the attached petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment coincident to this Request to Deposit Account 23-0035.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard S. Myers, Jr. Registration No. 42,022 WADDEY & PATTERSON

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# CERTIFICATE OF FIRST CLASS MAILING

# I hereby certify that:

- Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 to Correct a Filing Date; **(1)**
- Attachment A: Original Official Filing Receipt; (2)
- Attachment B: Transmittal Letter of Serial No. 09/891,671 mailed (3) June 25, 2001;
- Attachment C: Stamped Express Mail Label showing the "date in"; and **(4)**
- -a-self-addressed-return-postcard. (5)

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# PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.10

Box DAC Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231 January 31, 2002 Rings

#### Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition that a corrected Official Filing Receipt be issued in the above-identified application. The Official Filing Receipt, mailed to Applicants on August 15, 2001, has an error with respect to the filing date. A marked-up, corrected copy of the Official Filing Receipt is enclosed as Attachment A.

More specifically, Applicants hereby petition that the filing date be changed from June 26, 2001, to June 25, 2001.

Applicants filed the above-identified Application via Express Mail under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on June 25, 2001. A copy of the letter transmitting the patent application dated June 25, 2001, including a certification of Express Mail deposit dated June 25,

Serial Number 09/891,671

2001 is enclosed as Attachment B. Additionally, a copy of the stamped, Express Mail receipt dated June 25, 2001, is enclosed as Attachment C. As is shown in the following attachments, the procedures used for filing this application clearly comply with 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 with respect to obtaining a "date in" filing date.

As is clearly seen, the Official Filing Receipt incorrectly lists the filing date as June 26, 2001. Applicants request that this date be changed to the "date in" date of June 25, 2001,

as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.

Additionally, Applicants request that all pertinent USPTO records relating to the instant Application be changed to reflect the correct filing date.

No fee is required for this Petition.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment coincident to this Request to Deposit Account 23-0035.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CONFIRMATION NO. 9766** 

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Date Mailed: 08/15/2001

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Derek A. Pratt, Nashville, TN; Luca Valgimigli, Forlie, ITALY; Gino A. DiLabio, Aylmer, CANADA;

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

THIS APPLICATION IS A REI OF 60/213,826 06/23/2000

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 08/15/2001

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Missing Parts

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

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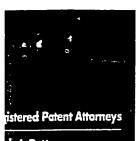
ATTACHMENT A

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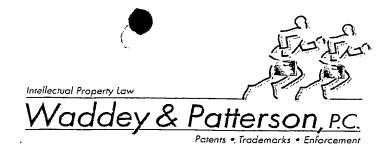
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VIA EXPRESS MAIL LABEL NUMBER EL 849655147 US CUSTOMER NO.: 23456 ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.: N-6636

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the following:

Original utility patent application for the invention by Derek A. Pratt, et al of a "Novel Chain-Breaking Oxidants" which includes:

Specification consisting of 66 pages;

1 page of drawings; b.

Declaration and power of attorney of the inventors c. (unsigned)

Original filing fee in the amount of \$454.00. 2.

3. Self-addressed return post card.

# Small Entity Status

Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Small entity filing fee:

\$355.00

11 additional claim:

\$ 99.00

Total filing fee:

\$454.00

# ATTACHMENT B

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You are authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with the filing of this application to Deposit Account 23-0035.

Very truly yours,

WADDEY & PATTERSON

Richard S. Myers, Jr.

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RSMJr/fmv enclosures

Commissioner atents and Trademarks June 25, 2001 Page 3

"EXPRESS MAIL" mailing label number:

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Date of deposit:

June 25, 2001

I hereby certify that this correspondence, including the following:

- Original utility patent application for the invention by Derek A. 1. of a "Novel Chain-Diagonal Specification consisting of 66 pages,

  1 page of drawings;

  Declaration and power of attorney of the inventors(unsigned)

  1 filing fee in the amount of \$454.00. Pratt, et al of a "Novel Chain-Breaking Oxidants" which includes:

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